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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS
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and RAYMOND G. GOODWIN**

Senior Party,
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SUPPLEMENTARY DECLARATION OF KONG B. TAN

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4. The fourth Northern analyses that I carried out, and which I described in paragraph 5 of my Declaration of June 21, 2004, employed a "TL2" probe, as indicated in the lower-left hand corner of the copy of the autoradiograph on the last page of RX^{RE29}. Accordingly, the level of expression of AIM-I in each of the cell types examined in this experiment is reflected in the intensity of the band seen in the autoradiograph.

5. The data I obtained in my Northern analysis experiments described and summarized in paragraphs 2-6 of my June 21, 2004 Declaration (I^{RE25}) were significant in that they revealed the relative levels of expression of AIM-I in different cell and/or tissue types.

6. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the above-captioned application or any patent issuing thereon.

Date July 15, 2004


Kong B. Tan